

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/730,870
Response to Restriction Requirement dated January 5, 2007

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REMARKS

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed December 12, 2006, Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, the claims of Group I (claims 1-23), drawn to a microfluidic device, classified in class 422, subclass 100.

Accordingly, immediate examination of at least claims 1-23 is respectfully requested.

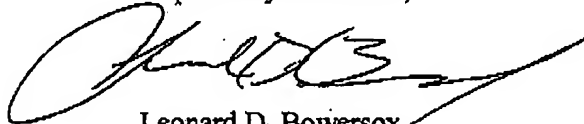
CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicant respectfully requests favorable consideration of the present application and a timely allowance of the pending claims.

Should the Examiner deem that any further action by Applicant or Applicant's undersigned representative is desirable and/or necessary, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number set forth below.

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